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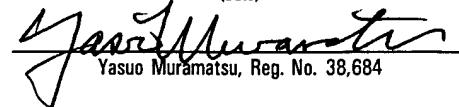
In re application of: Junichi Imai et al.

App. No. : 10/603,561  
Filed : June 25, 2003  
For : WORK FIXING DEVICE  
Examiner : Richard Ridley  
Art Unit : 3651

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a response to the office action in the above-identified utility application.

An extension of time to respond for one month(s) is hereby requested.

Time Extension Fee:

one month (\$120 large entity)  
 two months (\$450 large entity)  
 three months (\$1020 large entity)

Enclosed are:

Amendment in twenty (20) pages.  
 Information disclosure statement with PTO-1449 form and two prior art references.  
 A check of \$180 for submission of information disclosure statement.  
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